

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
in and for the STATE OF UTAH

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF )  
THE NOTICE OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION ) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
PLAN SUBMITTED BY ENERGY FUELS ) No. ACT/037/015  
NUCLEAR, INC. )  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, UTAH. )  
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THE STATE OF UTAH TO ALL OPERATORS TAKERS OF PRODUCTION,  
MINERALS AND ROYALTY OWNERS, AND PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN  
TOWNSHIP 37 SOUTH, RANGE 16 EAST, SLBM, SAN JUAN COUNTY, UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given by  
the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, on February 1, 1979, to  
Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc., Three Park Central, Suite 445, 1515 Arapahoe  
Street, Denver, Colorado, 80202, to commence underground room and  
pillar, and open stoping, declining entry, uranium operations at five  
contiguous mines on portions of Sections 2, 10, and 11, Township 37  
South, Range 16 East, San Juan County, Utah. The name of the mines are  
the Hillside, Gizmo, Maybe, Vallejo, and Bears Ears, and the person  
representing the company in this matter is Mr. Muril D. Vincelatte, Vice  
President, Energy Fuels Nuclear, Inc., Three Park Central, 1515 Arapahoe  
Street, Denver, Colorado, 80202.

Energy Fuels Nuclear has fulfilled obligations under the Mined  
Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, U.C.A., 1953, as amended),  
and will employ the following reclamation techniques on approximately 27  
acres of leased claims.

During Operations:

- 1) Mining will be conducted in a safe, sound technical  
and prudent miner-like manner.
- 2) Only existing disturbed surface sites will be utilized.  
No new roads or sites will be constructed.
- 3) Access to the mines will be provided via existing  
roads which will be maintained on a regular basis to  
enable efficient use and travel.

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- 4) No acid, alkali, or toxic producing materials will be developed or extracted.

After Operations:

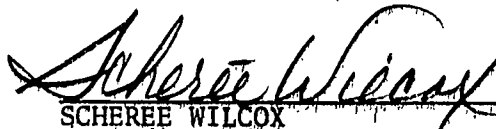
- 1) Surface debris, scrap metal, discarded wood, and unuseable buildings will be buried or removed from the site.
- 2) Portals, shafts and ventilation holes will be sealed to prevent unauthorized or accidental entry.
- 3) Abandon the areas in a self-draining and non-impounding condition.
- 4) Comply with all requirements of Rule M-10, Reclamation Standards, wherever applicable.
- 5) Reseed reclaimed areas by hand with a diverse grass-shrub-Legume seed mixture as recommended by the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining.
- 6) Energy Fuels will be responsible for successful revegetation of the area, to the extent practicable, including maintenance, soil amendments, and reseeding if necessary.
- 7) Surface pads and roads will be ripped, seeded, and water bars will be installed to control drainage and check erosion on steep grades.

Reclamation performances surety will be established upon final approval of the mining and reclamation plan.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of February 16, 1979, to the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, setting forth factual reasons for his complaint, and thereafter at a time and place heretobe established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas, and Mining, to show cause, if any there be, why this plan should not be approved.

DATED this 9th day of February, 1979.

STATE OF UTAH  
BOARD OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

  
SCHEREE WILCOX  
Secretary of the Board